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**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Please replace the paragraph on page 4, lines 6-10 of the application as filed (i.e., paragraph [0013] of the published application no.20020031556) as follows:

The above objectives and other objectives are achieved by the methods and compositions disclosed herein. Provided is a method of making a stabilized hydrogen peroxide composition comprising about 2% 2 wt. % or less of hydrogen peroxide based on the total weight of the composition which is suitable for application to human skin. The method comprises:

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 7, lines 22-25 through page 8, lines 1-7 of the application as filed (i.e., paragraph [0035] of the published application no.20020031556) as follows:

The crystalline monoglyceride can be added in the amount from about 1 to about 35 wt. %. The crystalline monoglyceride preferably has a carbon chain length of from about 10 to about 16. Preferred examples of the crystalline monoglyceride include 1-Glycerolmonolaurate, ~~C12~~, (i.e., C12), or 1-Glycerolmonomyristate, ~~C14~~, (i.e., C14), or mixtures thereof. The amount of and the ratio between C12 and C14 can be varied depending on the desired viscosity of the final product. For example, the ratio C12:C14 may vary from about 1:3 to 1:1 for a cream product and 1:3 to 1:0 for a lotion/spray form product with lower viscosity. The amount of crystalline monoglyceride in a cream usually varies from about 15 to about 35 wt. % while lotions and sprays ~~preferable~~ preferably have a crystalline monoglyceride content of from about 1 to about 15 wt. %.